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2. The exact locations where the errors occur in the application file are:

(a) With respect to the first error in claim 1, column 7, line 30, the correct text appears in line 13 of the Examiner's Amendment, on page 2 of the Notice of Allowability mailed December 13, 2006.

(b) With respect to the second error in claim 1, column 8, line 1, the correct text appears in line 15 of the Examiner's Amendment, on page 2 of the Notice of Allowability mailed December 13, 2006.

(c) With respect to the third error in claim 1, column 8, line 3, the correct text appears in line 17, on page 2 of the Notice of Allowability mailed December 13, 2006.

(d) With respect to the fourth error in claim 1, column 8, line 6, the correct text appears in line 10 of claim 24, on page 2 of the Response to Final Office Action dated October 30, 2006.

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(e) With respect to the error in claim 2, column 8, line 8, the correct text appears in claim 25, line 2, on page 2 of the Response to Final Office Action dated October 30, 2006.


(f) With respect to the error in claim 3, column 8, line 11, the correct text appears in claim 26, line 2, on page 3 of the Response to Final Office Action dated October 30, 2006.

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It is certified that an error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 7:

Line 30, after "grooves," insert --each said land having--.

Column 8:

Line 1, after "surface" insert --parallel to said longitudinal axis--.

Line 3, after "approximately" insert --five times said height--.

Line 6, before "relative" delete "450 °" and insert --45°--.

Line 8, after "approximately" delete "90 % a" and insert --9%--.

Line 11, after "approximately" delete "40 °" and insert --40%--.

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